

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BEXP, BENC, PA, AR  
SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: CIVIL WORKS CONTRACT FOR YACIRETA-  
APIPE HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT

REF: STATE 018588; BUENOS AIRES 3020

1. REGRET CONFUSION. THE PREQUALIFICATION EXERCISE  
REFERRED TO IN BA-8020 IS FOR FIRMS WITH A CONSTRUCTION  
REPT CONSTRUCTION CAPABILITY, AS THEY ARE QUALIFYING  
FOR CIVIL WORKS CONTRACT. OUR REFERENCE TO "ENGINEERING"  
INACCURATE.

2. THERE WILL BE A CALL FOR BIDS BY CONSULTING ENGINEERS  
FOR THE PROJECT SUPERVISION PHASE. IT IS NOT EXPECTED,  
HOWEVER, UNTIL MID 1977 AT THE EARLIEST.

3. AS BEST WE CAN DETERMINE THEN, THE CURRENT SCHEDULING  
OF FORTHCOMING BID CONTESTS FOR YACIRETA IS AS FOLLOWS:  
CALL FOR BIDS FOR TURBOGENERATOR GROUPS: MID CY-1977.  
OPENING OF PREQUALIFICATION BIDS FOR CIVIL WORKS  
CONSTRUCTION; 3RD. QUARTER 1977.  
CALL FOR BIDS FOR CIVIL WORKS: 4TH QUARTER 1977.  
CALL FOR BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION: MID CY-1977.

4. THESE DATES ARE ALL SUBJECT TO CHANGE, NATURALLY.  
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YACIRETA'S SCHEDULE HAS BEEN SLIPPING FOR SOME  
TIME AND IS LIKELY TO CONTINUE TO SLIP.  
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